

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA**

**CHARLESTON DIVISION**

IN RE: ETHICON, INC.,  
PELVIC REPAIR SYSTEMS  
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL NO. 2327

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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO THE CASE(S)  
ON THE ATTACHED EXHIBIT(S)

**ORDER**  
(Dismissing Ethicon Defendants without Prejudice)

Pending in MDL 2327, 2:12-md-2327 [ECF No. 7943] is a Joint Motion to Dismiss without Prejudice filed by plaintiff(s), identified in Exhibit(s) A, and Johnson & Johnson, Ethicon, Inc. and/or Ethicon, LLC (collectively referred to as “Ethicon”). The Motion seeks an order granting dismissal of the Ethicon defendants without prejudice.

The court **ORDERS** that:

- (1) the Joint Motion to Dismiss without Prejudice is **GRANTED**; and
- (2) the Ethicon defendants are **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** from the action(s) listed on the attached Exhibit(s) A;
- (3) if there are no remaining defendants in a civil action, then (a) that civil action is dismissed and stricken from the docket and (b) any pending motions are **DENIED** as moot.

The court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to:

- (1) dismiss the Ethicon defendants from the individual civil action(s) without prejudice;
- (2) if no other defendants remain in an individual action, then (a) strike the action from the docket, and (b) close the case;

(3) file a copy of this Order in MDL 2327 and in each individual case on the attached

Exhibit(s); and,

(4) send a copy of this Order to counsel of record and any unrepresented party.

ENTER: May 9, 2019



JOSEPH R. GOODWIN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

**EXHIBIT A**

<b>Civil Action No.</b>	<b>Case Style</b>
2:12-cv-06141	Monnica Reyes and Marces Reyes v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:12-cv-06394	Diana Kempf v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:12-cv-06403	Esther Picou v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:15-cv-04160	Elizabeth Dunne v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:15-cv-04161	Teri Grose v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:15-cv-05263	Lola Johnson v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:15-cv-05884	Connietta J. McGiffin and James D. McGiffin, Sr. v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:15-cv-13235	Celeste Zbiegien v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:15-cv-14446	Peggy J. Wheeler and Robert H. Wheeler v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:16-cv-02606	Jodie C. Cooper-Hoffman and Douglas W. Hoffman, Jr. v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:16-cv-02612	Julie Dubeck v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:16-cv-02682	Irene Spence and Alageldin Abdelrzaek v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:16-cv-03315	Sharon Weer and Thomas Weer v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:16-cv-05997	Cindy May v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson
2:16-cv-08971	Jane Smith and Ronald Smith v. Ethicon, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson